

Headteacher: Mr Martin Fallon

16 March 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Talented Athlete Scheme

Our round of applications for the Talented Athlete Scheme is now open. We offer one award of up to £200 per pupil to help towards annual training costs and other specialist support, deemed appropriate by the national governing body. Any pupil can qualify for assistance if they meet the criteria. School will consider applications from parents of pupils who show exceptional promise/ talent or excellence in sport. If you would like more information, please either visit our website or see Miss Mossman.

Parent Consultation Reminder

If you have not yet booked your parent consultation meeting, there are still times available. If you have any technical issues with Parentmail, please feel free to contact the office who will assist you with booking an appointment. During the evening Autograph, the school's caterers, will be serving their revised menu from the kitchen. This will give parents an opportunity to taste the food your children will be having next term. Governors will also be present in the dining hall for you to talk to about parent workshops, parent consultation evenings and anything else that takes your fancy! There will also be a book fair in the hall for you to look at and buy some new books for your children.

<u>Easter Holiday</u>

The final day of term is Thursday 29 March. We are closed for the Easter fortnight and re-open on 16 April. School will also be closed on Monday 7 May for the May Day Bank Holiday.

MPG Easter Egg Hunt – Sunday 25 March

Tickets are selling fast for the MPG Extravaganza. The fun starts at 2pm and finishes at 4pm. Sunshine has been booked. Ruth Dawson will be running the ever popular school uniform stall – if you have any unwanted, grown out of school uniform, please bring it to the office. Donations of cakes and biscuits are also welcomed – MPG request that these are brought into school on Friday 23 March and any containers which you would like returning are clearly labelled with your child's name and class.

<u>Road Safety</u>

It has recently been reported to us that a pupil was knocked over whilst on their way home from school. This is alarming news; thankfully, the pupil was unhurt though very shaken. This has highlighted the importance of ensuring that children are aware of how dangerous the roads around school can be – especially just before and just after school. Alongside this, there have been several parking issues brought to our attention by concerned parents and local residents. Please park considerately.

Yours

Martin Fallon







